**Applicant:** Victor Christou **Application No.:** 09/445,050

## REMARKS

Claims 47-53 are currently pending. No new matter is introduced into the application by this Reply.

In the Advisory Action, the claims as amended by the Reply filed on May 7, 2002 are objected to as not being readable on the elected invention, Group II. Claim 47 represents claim 11, as originally filed, rewritten to include the limitations of original claim 3. Claims 48-53 correspond to claims 12-17 as originally filed. These claims were identified by the Examiner in the Official Action dated April 25, 2001 as reading on the elected invention.

Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Victor Christou

By Damon A. Neagh

Registration No. 44,964

(215) 568-6400

Volpe and Koenig, P.C. Suite 400, One Penn Center 1617 John F. Kennedy Boulevard Philadelphia, PA 19103

DAN/ns Enclosures